

Title:	Niagara Region Development Corporation Fonds, 1982-1990 (non-inclusive)		
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Summary of Contents:	<p>Correspondence, Press Releases and Clippings, 1983-1989</p> <p>1.1 Includes a proposal from the Ontario Editorial Bureau regarding communications for the Niagara Region Development Corporation. Also included is a list of members, a “think tank” report, information on a marketing strategy seminar, and a <i>Niagara Executive Summary</i>. Joe Montgomery is introduced as the Director of Economic Development and David Cash is appointed Director of Economic Services. Matthew Fischer becomes the Corporation’s new General Manager. The Corporation seeks increased aid for the Niagara Region and addresses the problem of high unemployment, 2 b&w photos are included, 1983</p> <p>1.2 A copy of the Niagara Region Development Corporation 1984/1985 Workplan and Budget is included. Niagara receives Tier II designation under the Industrial and Region Development Program which will provide for new and improved levels of financial assistance, 1984</p> <p>1.3 A 1985 overview of manufacturing jobs is presented. A two day manufacturing show which focuses on new job creation is organized by the Ministry of Industry and the Niagara Region Development Corporation. Toyota considers 5 sites in Ontario for its assembly plant, but chooses Cambridge, 1985</p> <p>1.4 A copy of the Niagara Region Development Corporation 1986 Action Plan and Budget is included. A list of members is also included. Robert D. Prince, President of the Niagara Region Development Corporation addresses the Thorold City Council regarding a new program called INC (Investing in Niagara Companies). Two billion dollar expansion plan announced by General Motors of Canada spurs Niagara development, 1986</p> <p>1.5 A copy of the Niagara Region Development Corporation Workplan and Budget for 1987 is included as well as the Implementation Phase of INC (Investing in Niagara Companies). Edscha (a West German auto parts manufacturer) announces plans to locate a \$43 million North American production facility in Niagara Falls. A presentation by Robert D. Prince, President of the Niagara Region Development Corporation to the members of Regional Council in this file. Mr. Bruce Graham is the corporation’s new Economic Development Officer. Westport Corporate Centre in St. Catharines is under construction. Niagara Region Development Corporation has a small investor match making service which they call LINC (Locating Investors for Niagara Companies), 1987</p>		

	<p>1.6 Seaway issue task force minutes are included. The results of these meetings are summarized in <i>Niagara Jobs in Jeopardy: A Report on The Economic Importance of the St. Lawrence Seaway, and in Particular, the Welland Canal to the Residents of the Niagara Region</i>, 1988</p> <p>1.7 Jay B. Moyer is elected at the Niagara Region Development Corporation President, 1989</p> <p>Publications, 1982-1990 (non-inclusive)</p> <p>1.8 The <i>Corridor</i> published by the Niagara Region Development Corporation, 1986-1987, 1989</p> <p>1.9 <i>Niagara Region Economic Profile</i>, 1983</p> <p>1.10 <i>Niagara Region Development Corporation Annual Reports</i>, 1986-1987, 1989</p> <p>1.11 <i>Niagara Region Development Corporation Economic Development Journal</i>, 1988</p> <p>1.12 <i>Niagara Region Development Corporation Economic Review</i>, 1985-1986</p> <p>1.13 <i>Niagara Region Development Corporation Economic Development Strategy</i>, 1986-1990</p> <p>1.14 <i>Niagara 1986 Industrial Directory and Niagara: A Partnership in Industrial Development</i>, 1986, n.d.</p> <p>1.15 Flyers, 1982-1983, n.d.</p> <p>Photographs, 1985</p> <p>1.16 Three b&w contact sheets, 1985</p>
Physical Description / Condition:	<p>25 cm. (3/4 box) containing correspondence, clippings flyers, reports and 2 b&w photos.</p>

Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	<p>In 1981, the Niagara Region was dealing with a recession. Area municipalities struggled to attract new businesses. The Niagara Region Development Corporation was established to develop a region-wide approach to marketing Niagara's strengths and business opportunities.</p> <p>In 1996, the Niagara Tourist Council and Niagara Region Development Corporation amalgamated to form Niagara Economic and Tourism Corporation (NETC)</p>		
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